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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re Application of: |) | |
| | : | Examiner: Q. Vo |
| HISASHI ISHIKAWA |) | |
| | : | Group Art Unit: 2625 |
| Application No.: 10/611,948 |) | |
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| Filed: July 3, 2003 |) | |
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| For: A METHOD AND |) | |
| APPARATUS FOR IMAGE | : | |
| PROCESSING |) | April 28, 2008 |

Mail Stop Petition
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December 27, 2008 for one month from March 27, 2008 to Monday, April 28, 2008.

The \$120.00 fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 is being charged to Deposit Account No. 50-3939. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should also be charged or credited to Deposit Account 50-3939.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

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